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Docket No.: 043888-0255

Customer Number: 20277

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Shinji MURASHIGE, et al.

Application No.: 10/614,008

Filed: July 08, 2003

For: PORTABLE POWER SOURCE SYSTEM

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

<u>Transmitted</u> herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	9	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	3	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
		Multiple dependent claims newly presented			\$0.00
Fee for extension of time				\$0.00	
					\$0.00
		Total of Above Calculations			\$0.00

Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>500417</u> in the amount of \$0.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 29, 2006, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on December 29, 2006, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks.